



# TRINIDAD & TOBAGO POLICE SERVICE

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Mrs. Jacqui Sampson-Meiguel  
Clerk of the House  
Office of the Parliament of the Republic of Trinidad & Tobago  
Parliamentary Complex  
Cabildo Building  
Port of Spain

Dear Mrs. Sampson-Meiguel,

**Re: Fourteenth Report of the Joint Select Committee on Social Services and Public Administration on an inquiry into the challenges of prisoner re-entry into society and prisoner reintegration services in Trinidad and Tobago.**

Reference is made to correspondence with reference No. **PARL: 14/3/69 Vol. V** dated October 28, 2020, on the subject.

Please find attached the written submission from the Trinidad and Tobago Police Service.

Yours respectfully,

Gary Griffith  
Commissioner of Police



**Recommendation A**

There is a need for coordination among the various agencies responsible for managing the prisoner integration process. These include the Trinidad and Tobago Prison Service, the Trinidad and Tobago Police Service and the Judiciary.

**Response:**

Yes, the Trinidad and Tobago Police Service recognizes the need for effective coordination among the various agencies and will continue to work with and support the various agencies responsible for managing the prisoner integration process.

**Recommendation K**

The TTPS should ensure that outcome of a prisoner's case is included on the Certificate of Character

**Response:**

The outcome of a prisoner's case is included on the Certificate of Character but only in instances where the person has been convicted of an offence.